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SUBJECT: GUAYAQUIL PORT EXPANSION - RAYMOND LOSES BID

REF: (A) GUAYAQUIL 1845 (B) GUAYAQUIL 0507

1. IN THEIR BOARD MEETING LAST NIGHT THE GUAYAQUIL PORT AUTHORITY (GPA) TOOK THE DECISION TO DECLARE NULL AND VOID RAYMOND'S BID FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE PORT. THEY DID NOT TAKE THE FURTHER STEP OF DECLARING THE ENTIRE CALL FOR BIDS VOID, THUS LEAVING OPEN THE POSSIBILITY OF MAKING THE AWARE TO ONE OF THE OTHER BIDDERS (SEE REF B, PAR. 2 FOR SUMMARY OF BIDS).

2. THE GPA HAS APPOINTED A FOUR-MEMBER COMMISSION TO GO TO WASHINGTON TO DISCUSS FINANCING ARRANGEMENTS WITH THE WORLD BANK. THE FOUR ARE: FRANCISCO MORA GUERRERO, VICENTE MUNOZ VILLAVICENCIO, MARCO ARTURO LEON AND JULIO NAVARRETE.

3. THE GPA IS CONTINUING IN THEIR EFFORTS TO COLLECT THE 1.4 MILLION U.S. DOLLAR BID GUARANTEE PROVIDED TO RAYMOND BY BANK BY BANK OF AMERICA (SEPTTEL FOLLOWS).  
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